



Oklahoma Crop Production

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Row Crop Production Forecast

Oklahoma:

Production prospects increased for **cotton**, **corn** and **all hay** during the past month while the production of **soybeans** is down from the September 1 forecast according to the Oklahoma Field Office of USDA-NASS. The State's first **pecan** forecast of the year was set at 20 million pounds.

Production of **corn** for grain is forecast at 37.3 million bushels, up 8 percent from last month and also up 61 percent from 2006. An average yield of 138 bushels is expected from 270,000 harvested acres.

Production of **grain sorghum** is forecast at 11.1 million bushels, the same as last month but 64 percent above last year. An average yield of 53 bushels is expected from 210,000 harvested acres.

Cotton production is forecast at 270,000 bales, up 13 percent from last month and 33 percent above 2006. A record high average yield of 785 pounds is expected from 165,000 harvested acres.

Soybean production is forecast at 4.08 million bushels, down 32 percent from last month but 12 percent above last year. An average yield of 24 bushels is expected from 170,000 harvested acres.

Peanut production is forecast at 51.2 million pounds, the same as last month but 18 percent below 2006. An average yield of 3,200 pounds is expected from 16,000 harvested acres.

Production of **all hay** is forecast at 6.97 million tons, up 4 percent from the initial forecast in August and 94 percent above 2006.

Pecan production is forecast at 20 million pounds, up 18 percent from 2006. Improved varieties account for 6 million pounds while the native and seedling varieties account for the remaining 14 million.

United States:

Production of **winter wheat** is estimated at 1.52 billion bushels, up 17 percent from 2006. Yield is estimated at 42.0 bushels per acre, unchanged from last year.

Corn production is forecast at 13.3 billion bushels, up slightly from last month and 26 percent above 2006. Yields are expected to average 154.7 bushels per acre, up 5.6 bushels from last year.

All **cotton** production is forecast at 18.2 million bales, down 16 percent from last year's 21.6 million bales. Yield is expected to average 826 pounds per harvested acre. If realized, the yield will be the third largest on record. Area for harvest is expected to total 10.5 million acres, down 17 percent from 2006.

Production of **grain sorghum** is forecast at 501 million bushels, up 1 percent from last month and up 81 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 74.8 bushels per acre from 6.70 million harvested acres.

Peanut production is forecast at 3.42 billion pounds, down 1 percent from last year's crop but up 3 percent from last month. Yields are expected to average 2,873 pounds per acre from 1.19 million harvested acres.

Soybean production is forecast at 2.60 billion bushels, down 19 percent from last year's record high. Yields are expected to average 41.4 bushels per acre from 62.8 million harvested acres.

Production of **all hay** is forecast at 147.9 million tons, up 4 percent from 2006. **Alfalfa** production is forecast at 72.3 million tons, up 1 percent from last year. Production of **other hay** is forecast at 75.6 million tons, up 8 percent from 2006.

Pecan utilized production is forecast at 320 million pounds (in-shell basis), up 55 percent from last year.

Crop Acreage, Yield, and Production, Oklahoma and United States, Final 2006 and October 1, 2007

Crop	Planted		Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre		Unit	Production	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007		2006	2007
	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	<i>1,000 Acres</i>				<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>

Oklahoma

Wheat, Winter ¹	5,700	5,900	3,400	3,500	24.0	28.0	<i>Bushels</i>	81,600	98,000
Corn, Grain ²	270	320	220	270	105.0	138.0	<i>Bushels</i>	23,100	37,260
Sorghum, Grain ²	270	240	200	210	34.0	53.0	<i>Bushels</i>	6,800	11,130
All Cotton	320	175	180	165	541	785	⁽³⁾	203	270
All Hay	-	-	3,180	3,290	1.13	2.12	<i>Tons</i>	3,598	6,970
Alfalfa	-	-	380	390	2.10	3.00	<i>Tons</i>	798	1,170
All Other	-	-	2,800	2,900	1.00	2.00	<i>Tons</i>	2,800	5,800
Soybeans	310	190	215	170	17.0	24.0	<i>Bushels</i>	3,655	4,080
Peanuts	23	17	22	16	2,850	3,200	<i>Pounds</i>	62,700	51,200
Peaches ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	<i>Tons</i>	1,800	2,000
Pecans	-	-	-	-	-	-	<i>Pounds</i>	17,000	20,000

United States

All Wheat ¹	57,344	60,433	46,810	51,011	39.0	41.0	<i>Bushels</i>	1,812,036	2,066,722
Winter ¹	40,575	44,987	31,117	35,952	42.0	42.0	<i>Bushels</i>	1,298,081	1,515,989
Durum ¹	1,870	2,149	1,815	2,112	30.0	34.0	<i>Bushels</i>	53,475	71,686
Other Spring ¹	14,899	13,297	13,878	12,947	33.0	37.0	<i>Bushels</i>	460,480	479,047
Corn, Grain ²	78,327	93,616	70,648	86,071	149.1	154.7	<i>Bushels</i>	10,534,868	13,318,102
Sorghum, Grain ²	6,522	7,704	4,937	6,702	56.2	74.8	<i>Bushels</i>	277,538	501,457
All Cotton	15,274	10,847	12,732	10,543	814	826	⁽³⁾	21,588	18,154
All Hay	-	-	60,807	61,789	2.33	2.39	<i>Tons</i>	141,666	147,964
Alfalfa	-	-	21,384	21,451	3.35	3.37	<i>Tons</i>	71,666	72,347
All Other	-	-	39,423	40,338	1.78	1.87	<i>Tons</i>	70,000	75,617
Soybeans	75,522	63,669	74,602	62,818	42.7	41.4	<i>Bushels</i>	3,188,247	2,598,046
Peanuts	1,243	1,225	1,210	1,190	2,863	2,873	<i>Pounds</i>	3,464,250	3,419,300
Peaches ¹	-	-	-	-	-	-	<i>Tons</i>	1,010	1,027
Pecans	-	-	-	-	-	-	<i>Pounds</i>	206,300	319,605

¹ Estimates carried forward from an earlier forecast.

² Area planted for all purposes.

³ Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-lb. bales.

USDA Data User meeting to be held October 29, 2007 in Chicago.

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